Public Law 198

CHAPTER 331

August 5, 1953 [H. J. Res. 290]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Creating a committee to assist in the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the Congress of 1754, held at Albany, New York, on June 24 of that year.

Whereas June 24, 1954, will mark the two hundredth anniversary of the first Congress held in the United States; and

Whereas said Congress was assembled in Albany, New York, on a site presently marked with a simple inscription, "Birthplace of American Union. Site of the Congress of 1754. Here Benjamin Franklin presented the first plan of federal union"; and

Whereas it is fitting that this Congress of 1953 pay tribute to its stirring beginning: Now, therefore, be it

Albany, N. Y.,

Anniversary cel-ebration.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be appointed a committee of fourteen Members of Congress from the seven States which sent delegates to the Congress of 1754, seven of whom shall be appointed by the President of the Senate and seven by the Speaker of the House, to participate in the ceremonies in Albany, New York, on June 24, 1954, to celebrate the date on which the first Congress in America adopted this resolution: "Resolved, That a union of all the colonies is absolutely necessary for their security and defense."

Approved August 5, 1953.

Public Law 199

CHAPTER 332

JOINT RESOLUTION

August 5, 1953

To establish the date of the second regular session of the Eighty-third Congress.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the second regular session of the Eighty-third Congress shall begin at noon on Wednesday, January 6, 1954.

Approved August 5, 1953.

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August 5, 1953 [H. R. 1806]

AN ACT

To amend further the Federal Register Act, as amended.

Code of Federal Regulations. 44 USC 311.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 11 of the Federal Register Act (49 Stat. 503), as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 11. (a) The Administrative Committee of the Federal Register is authorized, with the approval of the President, to require, from time to time as it may deem necessary, the preparation and publication in special or supplemental editions of the Federal Register of complete codifications of the documents of each agency of the Government which have general applicability and legal effect, which have been issued or promulgated by such agency by publication in the Federal Register or by filing with the Committee, and which are relied upon by the agency as authority for, or are invoked or used by it in the discharge of, its activities or functions, and are in force and in effect as to facts arising on or after such dates as may be specified by the Committee.

"(b) Any codification published pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall be printed and bound in permanent form. As far as practicable, each title in such codification shall constitute a separate book. Each book shall include an index thereto, and a pocket for cumulative supplements. A general index to the entire edition shall be separately printed and bound and shall be provided with a pocket for cumulative supplements.

"(c) Cumulative supplements to the codifications may be published annually. Such supplements shall contain the full text of all changes and additions issued since the codification date specified by the Committee which are still in effect. Individual books, including the cumulative supplements thereto, may be collated and republished when

deemed necessary by the Committee.

"(d) The Federal Register Division shall prepare, index, and publish the codifications and supplements thereto including the collations

as authorized by subsection (c) of this section.

"(e) The codified documents of the several agencies published in the supplemental edition of the Federal Register pursuant to the provisions of this section, as amended by documents subsequently filed with the division and published in the daily issues of the Federal Register, shall be prima facie evidence of the text of such documents and of the fact that they are in full force and effect on and after the date of publication.

"(f) The Administrative Committee of the Federal Register shall

prescribe, with the approval of the President, regulations for carrying

out the provisions of this section.

"(g) The provisions of this section shall apply to the Code of Federal Regulations, 1949 Edition, authorized by and published pursuant to Executive Order No. 9930 of February 4, 1948.

Approved August 5, 1953.

3 CFR, 1948 Supp., p. 99.

Public Law 201

CHAPTER 334

AN ACT

To amend sections 502 (1) and 507 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act in order to identify the drug known as aureomycin by its chemical name, chlortetracycline.

August 5, 1953 [H. R. 5016]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 502 (1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U. S. C., sec. 352 (1)) is amended by striking out "aureomycin" and inserting in lieu thereof "chlortetracycline".

Sec. 2. (a) The heading of section 507 of such Act (21 U.S. C., sec. 357) is amended by striking out "AUREOMYCIN" and inserting in lieu

thereof "CHLORTETRACYCLINE".

(b) The first sentence of subsection (a) of such section 507 is amended by striking out "aureomycin" and inserting in lieu thereof "chlortetracycline".

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63 Stat. 409.